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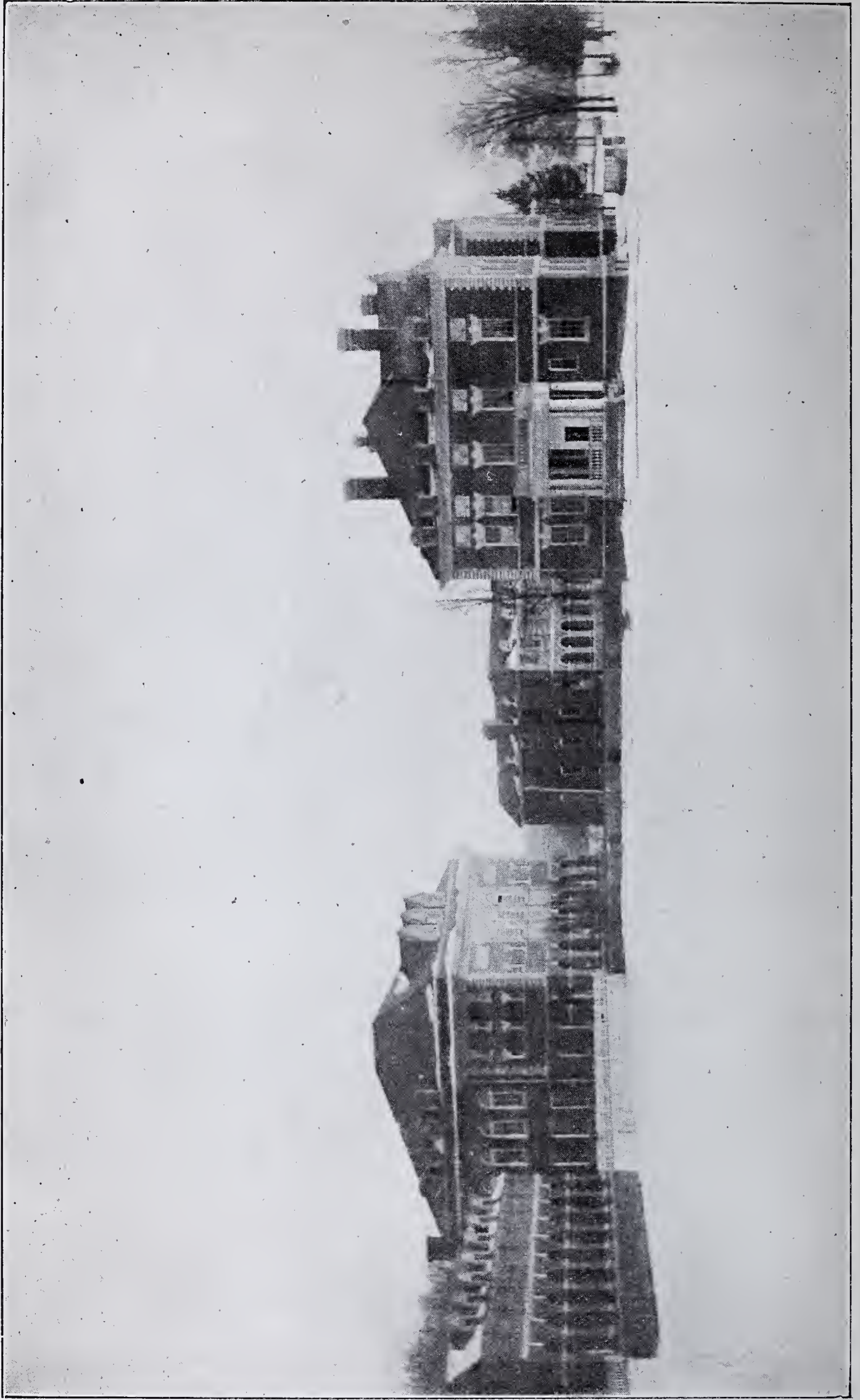
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WILLIAM C. HOAG.....Salamanca, N. Y.
WALTER S. KENNEDY.....Gowanda, N. Y.
FRANK MT. PLEASANT.....Niagara Falls, N. Y.

OFFICERS, TEACHERS AND EMPLOYEES

Superintendent.

EMILY P. LINCOLN.

Matron.

HALLA WELLS.

Physician.

A. D. LAKE.

Steward.

IDA L. BUNN.

Stenographer and Storekeeper.

ALTA J. ALDEN.

Bookkeeper.

NELLIE J. FOORE.

Head Teacher.

JOHN C. BRENNAN.

Grade Teachers.

LOUISE A. COURTNEY.

MARY M. BRENNAN.

E. FRANKIE JOHNSON.

AUGUSTA L. ANDERSON.

Kindergarten Teacher.

DONNA I. COLLINS.

Music Teacher.

FLORENCE E. PRISH.

Engineer and Electrician.

FRED RUSSELL.

Instructor in Carpentry.

ANTON F. LORENZ.

Mason and General Repairer.

FRED PALMER.

Farmer.

CARL DANKERT.

Assistant Engineer and Electrician.

SAMUEL C. DUNHAM.

Nurse.

BERTHA R. KNIGHT.

Assistant Matron.

ELSIE HAYWARD.

Attendants.

ADDIE B. SKUSE.

AGNES W. MILLS.

MINNIE McGUIRE.

CARRIE C. DEAN.

JULIA L. WARREN.

NINA HAYWARD.

HANNAH NEEDHAM.

SARA ANTHONY.

MARY E. LANE.

Housekeeper.

AGNES REYNOLDS.

Cooks.

PRISCILLA NORTH.

NELLIE PLUMMER.

ETHIE V. LORD.

Head Laundress.

ROSE SNOW.

Seamstresses.

MARIA NORTHRUP.

JUSTINA LORENZ.

Teamsters.

FRANK HARRINGTON.

H. JOHN HILLER.

Laborers.

FRED D. BUTCHER.

ADOLPHUS DANKERT.

JOHN HENRY.

Coachman.

JACOB GROSS.



STATE OF NEW YORK

No. 7.

IN SENATE

JANUARY 7, 1914.

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THOMAS INDIAN SCHOOL

To the Legislature of the State of New York:

Pursuant to the requirements of the statute, the undersigned members of the Board of Managers beg to submit their report on the Thomas Indian School for the year ending September 30, 1913.

Since our appointment only a few months ago, it has been our pleasant duty to make occasional visits of inspection at the institution and without exception have found sanitary conditions good and the pupils well cared for. Inasmuch as our length of service has been so short we are not in a position to make a report in detail, but would refer you to the report of the Superintendent attached hereto in which she has given a general synopsis of the work that is being attempted and accomplished.

We most respectfully commend to your consideration the list

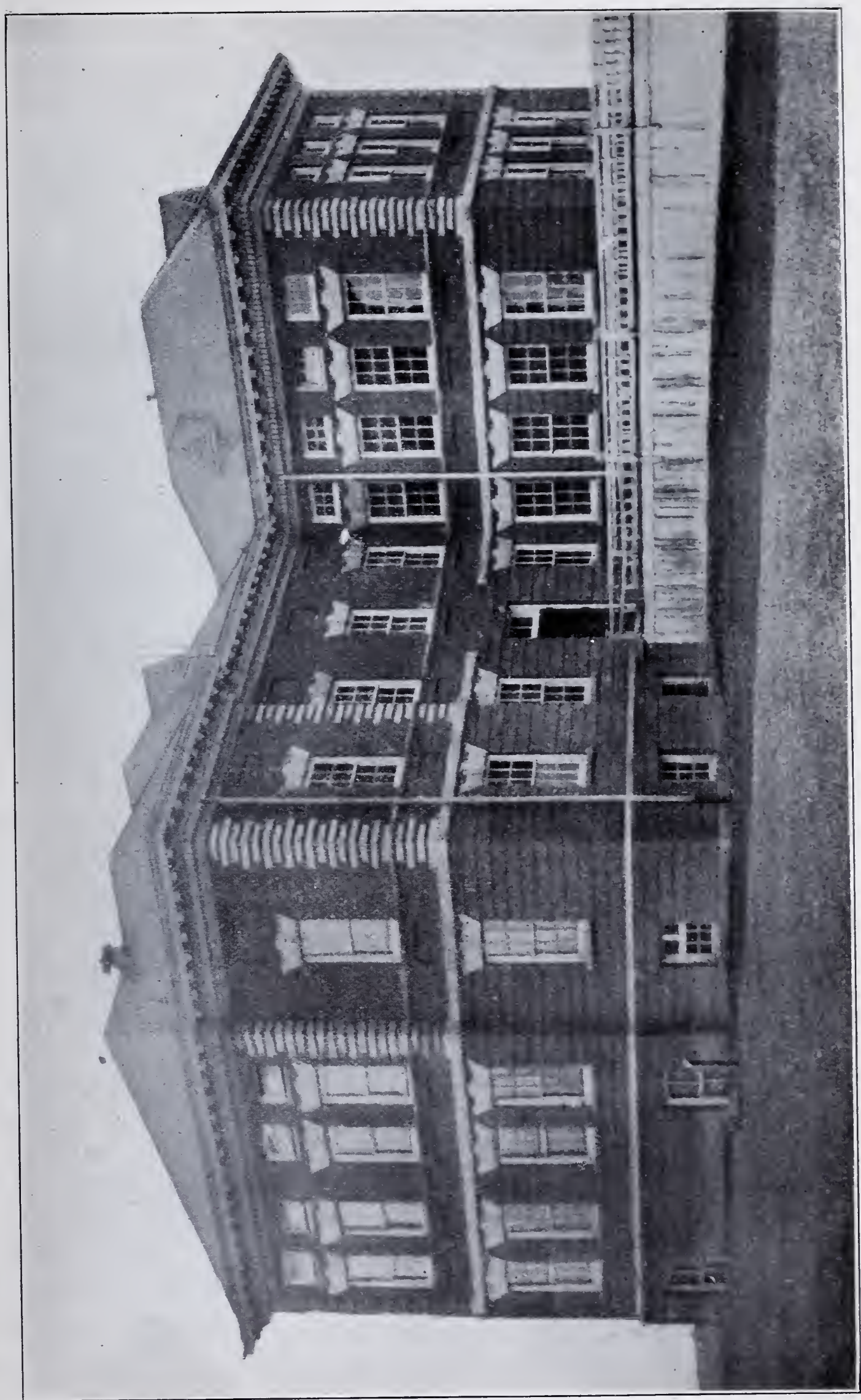
of appropriations which the Superintendent is incorporating in her report.

The report of the Treasurer and Attending Physician is appended.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

WILLIAM HUNT,
WILLIAM F. WOODWARD,
EDWARD G. ZELLER,
CLARA FITZPATRICK,
WILLIAM C. HOAG,
WALTER S. KENNEDY,
FRANK MT. PLEASANT,



SCHOOL BUILDING SHOWING RECENT ADDITION.



ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1913

To the Board of Managers, Thomas Indian School:

As required by the statute, I present you my report as Superintendent for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1913.

Knowing you all must feel assured of the satisfaction I experienced in the selections of managers made for this institution by the Governor in March, yet I wish to say a word in commendation of the retiring Board, the President, Mr. Henry R. Howland of Buffalo, having held this honorary position for eighteen years and two others having served the same length of terms, while several had been with us a long time and much of the success of the institution, has, without question, been due to their wisdom and helpful advice.

The average population for the year was 174.06 an increase over that of last year, this being occasioned by more pupils remaining at the institution during the vacation months of July and August than were here the year before. At the close of the fiscal year we had enrolled 89 boys and 106 girls, making a total population of 195.

The addition to the school building which was still in process of construction at the time my report was written last year was completed early in February and formally accepted by your predecessors on February 12, 1913. We have found this finished building to be modern and complete in every detail and we are very proud of it. The amount of the appropriation allowed by the Legislature for the addition to the school building was \$15,000, but the actual contract cost was but \$13,000, which left \$2,000 to our credit. A portion of this available balance together with the \$1,000 appropriation for furnishing and equipping School Building is being used in the fitting up of a room in the basement of the school building for instruction of the girls

in Domestic Science. This room is directly under the kindergarten room in the new part. It is large enough to admit of a dining room and kitchen and is light and well ventilated. This is something which for several years I have anticipated adding to our curriculum, but the present room is only temporary pending the action of the Legislature upon our request this year for a separate Domestic Science Building. With the addition of this scientific course in cooking, which the girls are evincing so much interest in, they will be well equipped to make model homes for themselves or valuable help in the homes of others, which to me is a high calling if only viewed in the proper light.

I am sorry to have to report the resignation of Miss S. Lavinia Nearing, teacher of the fifth and sixth grades, who, on account of home duties, was compelled to give up her work here. Her place has been filled by Miss E. Frankie Johnson of Sheridan, N. Y., a graduate of the Fredonia State Normal School. Although Miss Johnson has only just finished school and is without experience, I believe she has the ability to become a very successful teacher. The other scholastic teachers remain the same.

The retirement of Miss Nettie Reynolds, who for seventeen years had served most faithfully in the capacity of Music Teacher, I also have to report. Miss Florence E. Prish of Fredonia another graduate of the Fredonia State Normal School, I have appointment to this position. Miss Prish has had two years' experience teaching music in a graded school and has entered into our work with much enthusiasm.

In spite of the fact that our school work was so broken in upon at the beginning of the year on account of the unfinished school building, I feel a marked advance has shown itself over previous years. It is our aim to each year add a little something in the hope of making the work more interesting and thus attain greater results and the teachers are to be congratulated upon the work accomplished along scholastic and industrial lines.

I have often times been asked what becomes of pupils who finish our course here and in the hope such information may be of interest to some, at least, I will endeavor to tell what I know of our old graduates, beginning with the year 1899 when the first commencement exercises were held.

1899.

Commodore Doxtator,

Amos George.

1900.

Bennett Gordon,

James Green.

1901.

Molly B. Jemison,

John Pierce,

Selina Mabee,

Gurney Twoguns,

Minnie Tallchief,

Peter Jimerson.

1902.

Flora Tallchief,

Sophia Gordon,

Bertrand Bluesky.

1903.

Evelyn Twoguns,

Adam George.

1904.

Myrtle Thompson,

Alta Snow.

1905.

Esther Henry,

Anna Doxtator.

1906.

Grover Thompson,

Eva Henry,

David Sylvester,

Jennie Tallchief,

Tillie Bluesky,

Florence Ground.

1907.

Augusta Jacques,

Winifred Garlow,

Myra Skye,

Maysie Skye,

Leroy Beeman.

1908.

Julia Snow.

1909.

Minnie A. Charles,

Evelyn B. Snow,

Virginia A. Williams,

Franklin F. Jamison,

Ethel Garlow.

1910.

Theresa Lay,
Gertrude Pierce,

Mary Green,
Reuben Williams.

1911.

Sherman Pierce.

1912.

Melissa Anderson,
Lessie Beeman,
Ethel Charles,
John Connors,
Lawrence Cooper,
Ella Doxtator,
Mary-Lucy E. Fisher,
Grace L. Jamison,

Rose T. Snow,
Marjorie Jamison,
Ina Luke,
Hazel N. Skye,
Ruby A. Spring,
Archie Tallchief,
Isabelle Tallchief,
Oliver Thompson,
Hector Titus.

1913.

Rena Button,
Irene Doctor,
Philo Jackson,
Clara Kenjockety,
Rutherford Lay,

Orena Pierce,
Lena Seneca,
Elizabeth Snow,
George Twoguns,
Elida Williams.

Commodore Doxtator, I think, is somewhere in the west.

Amos George, I also think, is in the west.

Bennett Gordon is dead.

James Green is in a Government school in the west.

Molly B. Jemison spent three years in Lima Seminary and was graduated in vocal music there after which she entered the Oswego State Normal School and received a diploma from there. The following year she taught at Spring Valley, N. Y., after which she married Mr. George D. Taylor of Oswego. They are now living in Rochester, N. Y., where he is instructor in Mechanics Institute. They have two nice children.

Selina Maybee had three years in Lima Seminary and later was graduated from the Geneseo State Normal School. She has taught three successful years on this reservation and is now teaching in a white school in Chautauqua County at a good salary and I understand is giving excellent satisfaction.

Minnie Tallchief is the wife of Clarence Snyder. They are living on this reservation and seem to be getting along nicely.

John Pierce was graduated from Gowanda High School and later attended Dartmouth College, but was compelled to leave before attaining his degree on account of ill health. Since then he has held different responsible positions in the state of Minnesota and the last heard from him was during the summer when he wrote he was doing well and expected soon to be married.

Gurney Twoguns died in 1907.

Peter Jimerson, the last I knew, was disciplinarian in a western Government school.

Flora Tallchief attended Geneseo State Normal School and was graduated from there after which she taught several terms of school on the reservations of this state. She now has a Government position and I understand is doing very well.

Sophia Gordon, I think, is married and living on the Alleghany Reservation, but am not sure.

Bertrand Bluesky entered the Fredonia State Normal School, but has not finished his course. He is now working in Fredonia.

Evelyn Twoguns entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute for four years' course and after receiving her diploma from there, accepted a position in some western school, the name

of which I do not recall, where she remained for two years. She then returned to Hampton for a post graduate course and they secured a position for her at the Sac and Fox School at Stroud, Okla., where she is at the present time.

Adam George married Lena Snow, a former pupil here, soon after leaving school, but she only lived about three years. Soon after her death he entered the United States Navy and is now serving his second enlistment. Two children were born to them and they are being cared for at this institution.

Myrtle Thompson went home to live with her mother and married Eleazor Williams. They are living on the Tuscarora Reservation where they are casting their influence for all that is good and are doing all they can for the betterment of the Indian people.

Alta Snow, I think, is dead.

Esther Henry attended Woman College at Frederick, Md., but was obliged to come home on account of ill health. About a year after she was married to J. Warren Brayley, a contractor and builder of Niagara Falls, where they lived for several years, but at present are living on the Tuscarora Reservation. They have three children.

Anna Doxtator worked in different families in Syracuse for several years and, I think, married a year or more ago, but as I have not heard from or of her for sometime I am not sure.

Grover Thompson married Grace Boyle, one of our girls, and they have a nice little home on this reservation. They have four bright children. Grover works every day and is doing very well indeed.

David Sylvester was graduated from the Gowanda High School. He is now working on a farm near Pekin, N. Y., where he has been for several years. I understand he has a good bank account and is a credit to himself and his people.

Tillie Bluesky attended Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute for a brief period and two or three years ago became the wife of Clinton B. John. They are living on the Alleghany Reservation.

Eva Henry attended Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute for three years, after which she returned home and married

Mr. Marvin Jack, a graduate of Cornell University. Two children were born to this union. Mr. Jack died over a year ago and the death of their youngest child occurred soon after. Mrs. Jack is living with her mother on the Tuscarora Reservation.

Jennie Tallchief attended Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute for about two years, but her health would not permit of her finishing their course. About three years ago she was married to George Button and they are living on this reservation.

Florence Ground married Clarence L. John and they are residing on the Alleghany Reservation, where they are getting along nicely. They have two children.

Augusta Jacques worked in different Silver Creek families for two or three years. About a year ago she was married to Moses Printup, Jr., of Tuscarora Reservation, where they now reside.

Myra Skye has been in Rochester for several years. She is working in a family there and receiving very good wages.

Winifred Garlow finished a four years' course at the Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute and is now Assistant Matron at the Unitah Indian School in Utah near Salt Lake City.

Maysie Skye completed a business course at the Carlisle Indian School, after which she held a position for a time in Buffalo. She was later married to Wesley Tallchief and they are living in Buffalo.

Leroy Beeman entered the Fredonia State Normal School, but did not complete their course. He is now employed in an automobile garage in that village.

Julia Snow entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute and completed their four years' course. She returned home last spring and was employed here at this institution for several months. In the fall she secured a school on the Tuscarora Reservation where, I am told, she is doing good work.

Minnie Charles is at the Carlisle Indian School.

Virginia A. Williams entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, but as is the case with so many of our pupils, the climate did not agree with her and she was obliged to return home.

Evelyn B. Snow entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, but returned home after having been there but a short

time and has since been employed in different families in Silver Creek and Buffalo.

Franklin F. Jamison entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute where he took up the plumbers' and steamfitters' trade. He finished his trade last spring, but has remained to complete their scholastic course. I visited Hampton last year and found Franklin, as well as all our other ex-students there, doing their very best. He is a favorite among his classmates and has had many honors conferred upon him.

Ethel Garlow entered Haskell Institute, but was stricken with tuberculosis and lasted but a short time.

Theresa Lay after one year spent at home entered the Carlisle Indian School where she is at the present time.

Gertrude Pierce spent a few months at Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, but on account of the illness of her mother it was necessary for her to come home. When not needed at home she has worked in a family at Silver Creek, N. Y.

Mary Green entered the Fairport High School, but remained only one year. She is now at the Carlisle Indian School.

Reuben Williams entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute and is learning a trade. He is doing well and I believe he will make his mark in the world.

Sherman Pierce entered the Carlisle Indian School for a brief period and since his return home has been working on the reservation.

Rose T. Snow entered the Carlisle Indian School where she remained one year, but decided she wanted to enter High School, so gained permission from Dr. Friedman to be released from that institution. As she felt she needed funds for clothing, books, etc., before entering High School, we have given her employment here and she is giving excellent satisfaction.

Melissa Anderson is attending the Carlisle Indian School.

Lessie Beeman, whose health was failing at the time of her graduation, passed away on July 13, 1913.

Ethel Charles is at Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute. She is getting along nicely.

John Connors has spent the greater part of the time on this reservation, where he is at the present time.

Lawrence Cooper entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, but he was so afflicted with homesickness that he returned to his home at Tunesassa after having been away but a few months. He worked there until last fall when he entered the Gowanda High School and his teachers tell me he is doing good work.

Ella Doxtator has been with her mother on this reservation.

Mary-Lucy E. Fisher, who is the daughter of the missionary on this reservation, had been in school here from the kindergarten up through the grades. She had one year in Gowanda High School and is now in Wooster Seminary at Wooster, Ohio.

Grace L. Jamison is attending Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute.

Marjorie Jamison is at the Carlisle Indian School.

Ina Luke, soon after leaving here, began to fail in health and died of tuberculosis this summer.

Hazel N. Skye is at the Carlisle Indian School.

Ruby A. Spring married Benjamin Bennett, an enterprising young man of this reservation, and they are residing near us.

Archie Tallchief entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute, where he remained but one year. He is now on this reservation.

Isabelle Tallchief entered Salamanca High School and is living in the home of the missionary there. They write me occasionally and speak in high praise of Isabelle and her capabilities.

Oliver Thompson entered Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute. He spent the summer vacation working on this reservation and from his earnings saved enough money to pay his board and tuition for day school through the year. One of Hampton's officers writes me that Oliver has saved more money this summer than any other Indian student.

Hector Titus was employed near here for several months, but I have not heard anything about him for a long time.

Rena Button is attending the Carlisle Indian School.

Irene Doctor is attending Rochester High School.

Philo Jackson is at Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute.

Clara Kenjockety is attending Buffalo High School.

Rutherford Lay is attending the Carlisle Indian School.

Orena Pierce is at Hampton Normal and Agricultural Institute.

Lena Seneca is at Wilson High School.

Elizabeth Snow is attending Silver Creek High School.

George Twoguns is at the Carlisle Indian School.

Elida Williams is attending Gowanda High School.

I believe you will agree with me that this record will compare favorably with any white school and I cannot help but be proud of the progress some of these young people are making in the world.

We have been quite fortunate in retaining as many of the old employees as we have, but it has been necessary to make a few changes.

Upon the resignation of Mrs. Samuel C. Dunham, who left on the 9th of November to care for her aged father, we were very fortunate in securing the services of Miss Elsie Hayward for the position of assistant matron and she began her duties November 16th. Miss Hayward had previously been employed here as large girls' attendant and had proven herself very thorough and conscientious in her work.

In the early part of November Mrs. Maud Drake, who had been here for many years as head laundress, resigned to accept a similar position at the J. N. Adam Memorial Hospital, with a material increase in salary. While I was very sorry to lose Mrs. Drake, yet I was glad to see her better herself and can congratulate the Superintendent of the institution to which she has gone upon securing such a faithful and competent woman to have charge of his laundry.

The position of fireman, which has been vacant more than a year, I have filled by appointing Mr. Louis Ortman of Lawtons and he began his duties September 30th.

On November 18th Dr. James P. Leake of the United States Public Health Service and Dr. Richard H. Satterlee of Buffalo, our oculist, visited the institution and examined the eyes of nearly all the pupils. Dr. A. D. Lake, our attending physician, also spent the day here and assisted with the examination.

There has been very little illness of a serious nature during the past year with the exception of Lessie Beeman of the class



NEW POULTRY PLANT.



of 1912, who passed away on the 2d of July after a lingering illness of tuberculosis of the lungs. Lessie, who was a Shinnecock, came to us when but five years of age. She was never a strong child and even before her graduation showed signs of failing health. As she had no home or friends to give her care, the institution took that place and we kept her in the open air ward at our hospital. I desire to make especial mention of the devoted care given her through the many long months of her illness by our trained nurse, Miss Bertha R. Knight, for she not only ministered to her every physical want both day and night and at the last scarcely left her bedside, but she also provided her with the many little delicacies which added so much to her comfort and pleasure. Lessie was a very sweet Christian girl and her death cast a gloom over the whole institution. A simple funeral service was held out on the lawn by Rev. J. Emory Fisher and she was laid to rest in the little cemetery across the way.

We have had the usual number of inspections from representatives from the several State Departments including two visits from the Hon. William R. Stewart, President of the State Board of Charities, one visit from Hon. Samuel J. Tilden, Fiscal Supervisor of State Charities, and two visits from Mr. Henry M. Lechtrecker, Inspector of State Institutions.

From the appropriation of \$500.00 granted us in 1912 and the one for \$1,000.00 in 1913 we have built four poultry houses, one building, the basement of which is used for incubators, the second floor for feed room and the third floor for a storage room, also three brooder houses. This construction work has been under the supervision of Mr. Lorenz, instructor in carpentry, and the work has been done almost entirely by the boys.

Mr. Brennan, who has given much time and thought in planning for this industry, has been untiring in his efforts to place our plant upon a scientific and paying basis and this I feel he has accomplished. Although we are of course desirous of making this a paying proposition, yet in establishing the industry we did not lose sight of the value this scientific training would be to our boys, for there is much unused land on this and other reservations of the State, where some of them, who are interested in the care of poultry, could start a profitable business of their own at small expense after they finish their course here.

In December we purchased about one hundred pure bred white Leghorns from Cornell. Two incubators were purchased and from three hatchings of chickens we were able to raise about four hundred. Our flock has attracted much attention this summer and from State officials and others we have received congratulations upon our success. Miss Bunn, our steward, has had the oversight of the boys detailed to take charge of this work and much credit is due her for the successful outcome of the year's experiment.

The following appropriations are desired for the year 1914:

Maintenance	\$50,000 00
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SPECIAL

Corridors connecting Administration Building, Steward Hall, School Building and Dormitories.	15,000 00
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An appropriation for this work has been urged for several years. The present covering for the conduits connecting these buildings is of wood and was intended to be used only temporarily when erected. This wood work is so badly decayed that it is no longer safe and has been condemned as unsafe by a representative of the State Architect's office. The children and many of the officers and employees have to pass over these conduits several times daily in going to meals, to school and to work. They have been braced from underneath and the flooring has been repaired in many places, but the whole structure is in danger of collapse. We have just been allowed a considerable amount for repairs to put them in shape so that they could be considered safe for use another winter, but it will be impossible to repair them so that they can be used much longer as the whole structure must be replaced and it should be done in brick and cement work, which would be permanent.

Dairy House, Cold Storage and equipment.	\$12,500 00
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An appropriation of \$7,500.00 was granted last year for this building, but upon conferring with the State Architect in regard to plans for same we find that this amount will not be sufficient to put up the building. The State Archi-

tect's figure on the building is \$11,000.00 and the remainder asked for under this item is for a connecting conduit to boiler house, refrigerating and ice making apparatus and other necessary equipment.

Industrial Building, connecting conduit with, steam, water and electrical connections and equipment for building \$50,000 00

This building is needed to complete the semi-circle of buildings in the original plan of the institution. We are at present unable to do much industrial work for boys, except carpentry, on account of having no building and equipment for such work. We are now using for carpentry work an old frame building formerly used as a barn. It is in a dilapidated condition, is unsuited to industrial work and is of insufficient size. The machinery is so crowded that there is much more danger of accidents than there would be in a larger space. Some very good work has been done in this department notwithstanding the limited facilities.

The industrial training should be broadened along various lines to include blacksmithing, plumbing, steam fitting, etc. This work is an important branch of the education of these Indian children. They should be fitted for some useful occupation by which they may earn a living and this will do much to make them law-abiding and self-respecting citizens.

Silo and addition to dairy barn..... \$4,000 00

The present dairy barn provides room for twenty cows. A larger number could easily be kept if we had stable room for them and another silo. The records have shown a good profit from the dairy and I believe it would be profitable to increase the herd and lessen the amount of several hundred dollars which we are expending annually for dairy products.

Extraordinary repairs \$2,000 00

This is the usual annual requirement for such items as will not properly come under ordinary repairs.

New equipment \$1,000 00

This is the usual annual requirement for this purpose.

Gymnasium and equipment..... \$10,000 00

The value of physical training is everywhere being recognized. A building for this purpose where systematic training could be given would be of great benefit to the school. The change in the mode of living among the Indians, which has come with civilization, has weakened them physically and they have a special tendency toward weak lungs. Training of this sort would do much to correct these weaknesses.

A building of this kind would also provide a place where indoor games could be held and thus be of great help in furnishing amusement during the winter months.

Kindergarten building, connecting conduit and equipment \$50,000 00

To those familiar with institution work among children, reasons for separating children of kindergarten age are obvious. They require different care, different food and different activities. They should be so segregated that their environment and care may be best suited to their needs. This, together with the fact that the institution at present is crowded beyond its capacity, makes it necessary to ask for an appropriation sufficient to furnish them with living room, sleeping apartments, kitchen and dining room, school room and the necessary apartments for caretakers.

Domestic science building, connecting conduit and equipment \$50,000 00

As originally planned one industrial building was to be erected which would provide for all the industrial work both for boys and girls. We find from experience that better results can be accomplished by having the work separated and it would also seem better to separate it on account of the nature of the work, which for the girls would include sewing, weaving, cooking, care of the home, etc.

Installing new boiler, 150 H. P..... \$2,200 00

This is needed to take the place of an old 80 H. P. boiler which was moved from the old power house. As the institution grows more power is required for operating the plant. This would provide two boilers of 150 H. P. and one of 120 H. P.

AMUSEMENTS.

As in previous years we have been allowed a certain amount for purposes of amusement. This covers baseball and football expenses, picnics, socials and a few evenings of other amusement, but the sum is too limited to provide very much in the way of entertainment for the employees. We are several miles from a town of any size and the employees are denied literary and social advantages, so if we expect to retain and secure the grade of help we have always had the reputation of having, I feel it is imperative that a more liberal amusement fund be provided, thus enabling me to bring lectures, concerts and other entertainments right here to the institution where the employees and children as well may have the benefit of them.

The children enjoyed their usual good time on Hallowe'en by having a party in the hall. Some of the employees were costumed as witches and ghosts, and apples were served.

On November 2nd we were given a very delightful musical treat by Josephine and Hamilton Mt. Pleasant, the daughter and son of Mr. Grant Mt. Pleasant of the Tuscarora Reservation. They both have exceptional musical ability, especially the boy.

Thanksgiving morning dawned bright and beautiful after a heavy snow storm and found every tree and object covered with snow and about two feet deep on the level. The forenoon was given up to the preparation of the good dinner and the decorating of the hall, the decorations consisting of fruit and vegetables. Following is the menu of the dinner, which was much enjoyed by all:

Roast Turkey and Chicken	Bread Dressing
Celery	Cranberries
Mashed Potatoes	
Gravy	
Winter Squash	Bread and Butter
Fruit Salad	Pear Pickles
Pumpkin Pie	Cheese
Coffee.	

We did not have a cantata Christmas eve as we have had for several years past, but had an equally interesting promiscuous

The birthdays of Lincoln and Washington were jointly commemorated on February 22nd with the following program:

WASHINGTON:

Rules of Conduct.

Extracts from Farewell Address.

Bunker Hill March

KINDERGARTEN EXERCISE.

His Life.

His Sayings and Anecdotes.

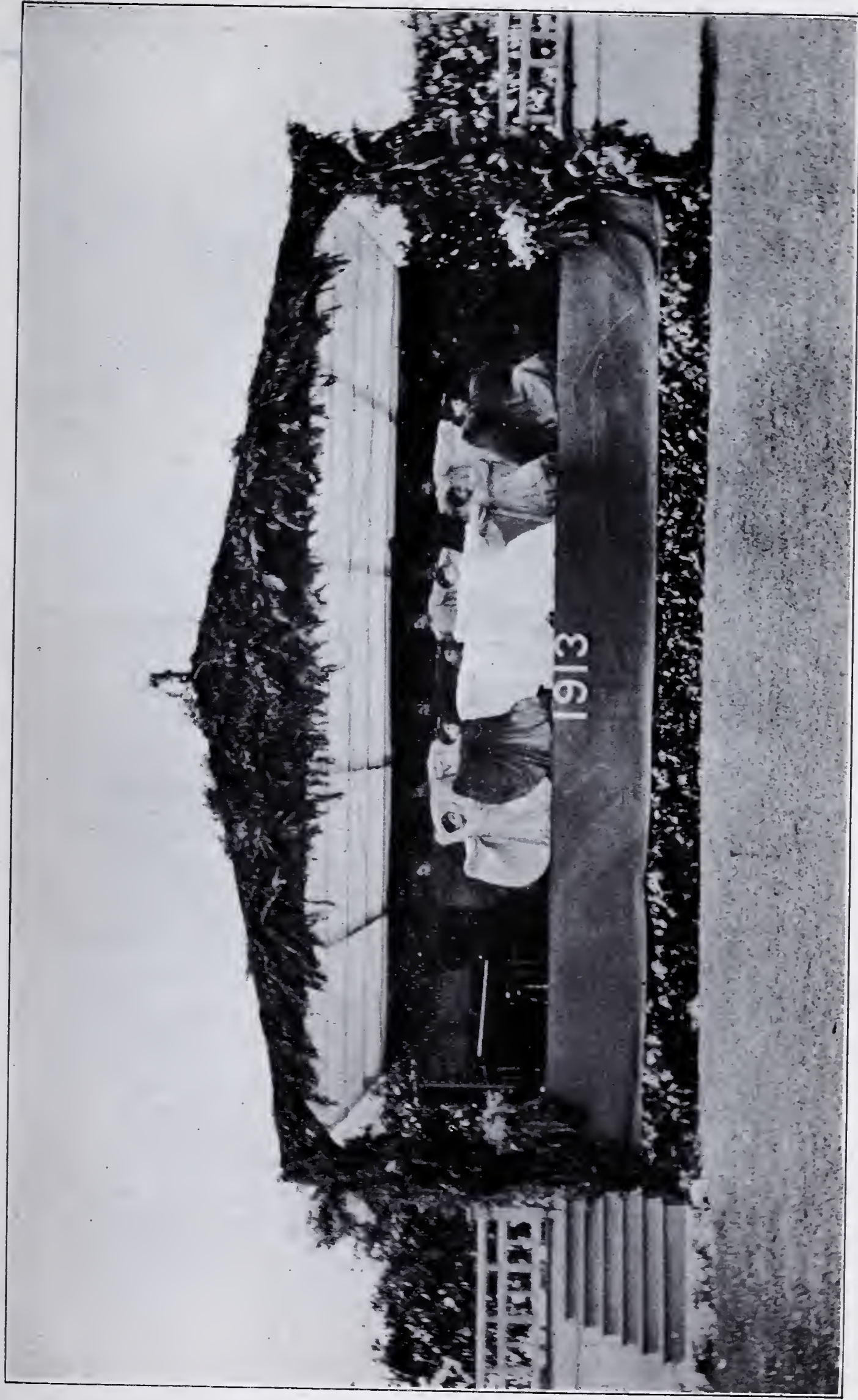
Gettysburg Address.

O Captain! My Captain!

Song *America*

An Easter cantata entitled "Risen Indeed" was given on Easter Sunday. Several people were in from outside and complimented the pupils on the rendition of their parts.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cusick from the Tuscarora Reservation entertained us on the evening of April 5th with a very pleasing musical entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. Cusick, who have three little daughters in this institution, were visiting on this reservation and gave this entertainment free of charge.



VIEW OF DRILL GIVEN AT CLOSING EXERCISES JUNE 27TH.

Friday, May 2nd, being Arbor Day, the following brief program was given in the assembly hall:

Song.....	<i>Arbor Day March</i>
Exercise.....	<i>Oh, Guard us Well</i>
Exercise.....	<i>The Trees</i>
Reading.....	<i>Fruit Trees</i>
Song.....	<i>Swinging 'Neath the Old Apple Tree</i>
Arbor Day Quotations.....	
Kindergarten Exercise	
Reading.....	<i>The Friendly Trees</i>
School Song	

Mrs. George D. Turner, Secretary of the Audubon Society of Buffalo, was here on May 10th and gave such a splendid illustrated lecture on birds. Her talk was of such a nature that it was not only of much interest to the adults, but to the smallest child as well, and her pictures were fine. Mr. Turner, who is a teacher in the Masten Park High School, accompanied his wife.

On Decoration Day members of the G. A. R. and Red Jacket Circle held their memorial exercises in our assembly hall and had a basket picnic in the grove. We were very glad to help make their day a pleasant one and they seemed to appreciate our opening the doors of the institution to them.

The lecture on Education given by Mr. M. L. Brown, Superintendent of School on the Tuscarora Reservation, on Saturday evening, June 14th, was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present. Mr. Brown is a man of uncommon ability and we were glad to have him with us.

The Prize Speaking Contest a year ago in June was such a success and the pupils entered into the spirit of the occasion with so much interest, that we decided to have another one this year and it took place on the evening of June 23rd. The hall was well filled and many expressed themselves as much pleased with the satisfactory manner in which each pupil participating in the following program, rendered his or her part:

Piano Solo.....	<i>John Martin</i>
ELIDA WILLIAMS	
A Psalm of Life.....	<i>Longfellow</i>
RENA BUTTON	
Blue and Gray.....	<i>Slaight</i>
LENA SENECA	
The American Flag.....	<i>Drake</i>
ORENA PIERCE	
A Bird Song.....	<i>Boynton</i>
IRENE AND ALBERTA WILLIAMS	
Sergeant Prentiss' Plea.....	
PHILO JACKSON	
Barbara Frietchie	<i>Whittier</i>
EVANGELINE CLARK	
The Last Hymn.....	
IRENE DOCTOR	
Speech of Defense.....	<i>Patrick Henry</i>
RUTHERFORD LAY	
Song, Fourth of July.....	<i>Forman</i>
FIVE BOYS	
Piano Solo, Burning of Rome.....	<i>Paull</i>
CARL PRINTUP	
Decision of Judges.....	
Song	

The judges were Rev. John G. Macklin of North Collins, N. Y., and Miss Hattie Pierce and Mr. John C. Hayes of Versailles, N. Y. The first prize was won by Miss Irene Doctor and the second by Miss Orena Pierce.

The Farmers' Institute held on the afternoon and evening of the 24th of June was well attended and much interest was manifested. Mr. John H. Barron of Nunda, N. Y., Conductor, was ably assisted by Mrs. George E. Monroe of Dryden, N. Y., and Mr. F. E. Bonsteel of Ashville, N. Y.

Besides the two musicales given by the younger pupils during the year, the annual recital was presented by Miss Nettie Reynolds' pupils on the evening of June 25th. More than the usual number of outside people were present and many expressed their opinion that this was the best recital of its kind we have ever had. Following is the program:

Piano Duet, Grand March.....	<i>Leon Ringnette</i>
BERTHA GREEN AND ALBERTA PARKER	
Flower Song.....	<i>Lange</i>
LILLIAN PIERCE	
Zampa	<i>Edouard Dorn</i>
LENA SENECA	
May Breezes	<i>Lange</i>
ELIDA WILLIAMS	
Twittering of the Birds.....	<i>Billema</i>
LAURA WILLIAMS	
Second Nocturne	<i>Leybach</i>
LIBBIE HALFTOWN	
Le Argentine	<i>Ketterer</i>
ELSIE DONTATOR	

Commencement week ended with the closing exercises on Friday evening, June 27th. On account of the extremely warm weather and because our assembly hall had never been large enough to accommodate the people who wished to attend our closing exercises, we conceived the idea of holding them on the lawn and a temporary stage was erected on the walk between the girls' dormitories. This was decorated with ferns and daisies and with the brilliant lights both lawn and stage were made very attractive. The evening was perfect and it was estimated that about 1,000 people gathered to witness the graduation of the class numbering ten.

Dr. Moses Friedman, Superintendent of the Carlisle Indian School, who was the speaker of the evening, gave a very earnest talk which was an inspiration to all present.

Following is the program:

March (Enterprise).

LAY'S SENECA BAND

Invocation.

REV. J. EMORY FISHER

Piano Duet, Chauson Des Alpes.....*Ryder*

ELSIE DOXTATOR AND LAURA WILLIAMS

Kindergarten Exercise (Little Tommy Tompkins).

Essay (New York Indian and Citizenship).

ELIDA WILLIAMS

Vocal Duet (Murmuring Sea).....*Glover*

LIBBIE HALFTOWN AND EVANGELINE CLARK

Overture (Snap Shot).

LAY'S SENECA BAND

Butterfly Drill.

Address.

MOSES FRIEDMAN, *Supt., Carlisle Indian School*

National Airs.

LAY'S SENECA BAND

Presentation of Diplomas.

Benediction.

REV. FILLMORE JACKSON

The usual observance was made of the Fourth of July by taking our entire family to Lake Bay for a picnic lunch. This is a day looked forward to by all, as they enjoy the water, and quite a sum is always spent for fireworks.

We prepared exhibits for both the Erie County and Iroquois Agricultural Fairs and both of these organizations provided the generous free admissions to both employees and pupils, this courtesy having been accorded us for several years.

The stereopticon and reflectoscope has been made profitable and instructive use of during the year.

The usual amount of money has been expended for magazines, papers, etc., during this year and a few books have been added to the library in the administration building, which the older pupils have access to.

Aside from the amusements above referred to the pupils have attended socials, suppers, picture shows, etc.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Words seem inadequate to express the gratitude I feel toward the retiring Board, you as the present Board, the State Departments, the officers, teachers and all others connected in any way with the institution, for any assistance they have given me toward making this a successful year and for the many ways in which all have helped me in the discharge of my duties as Superintendent.

On behalf of the institution, I want to thank one and all for generous donations of magazines, clothing, etc., and especially do I wish to thank the parents, relatives and friends of the children who have furnished them with many needed articles of clothing during the year. The children delight in receiving anything from home and it is a great help to the institution.

Respectfully submitted

EMILY P. LINCOLN,

Superintendent.

SCHOLASTIC DEPARTMENT.

To Mrs. Emily P. Lincoln, Superintendent:

I beg to submit the following report from the scholastic department for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1913.

Enrollment in the various grades was as follows:

Kindergarten.

Geneva Bowen,
Hattie Bissell,
Evangeline Halftown,
Elsie Jimerson,
Viola Cusick,
Doris Parker,
Edith Tallchief,
Charles Bissell,
Archie Bowen,
Chester Bred,
Ansley Curry,
Stanley George,

Ethel Bissell,
Avanell Gordon,
Elizabeth Harris,
Hattie Cusick,
Bertha Lee,
Delphena Pierce,
Mary Titus,
Irving Bissell,
Clifford Bowen,
Nelson Chew,
Hilbert Curry,
Cephas Hill,
William Harris.

First Grade.

Hattie Cornplanter,
Dorothy Harris,
Mitchel Jackson,
Myrtle Jones,
Rosa Lee,
Nelson Ninham,
Iva Reuben,
Jerome Skye,
Loretta Titus,
Hattie Williams,
Jacob Shongo,
Geraldine Sundown,

Peter Crow,
Edward Jackson,
Raymond John,
Irene Cusick,
Belmont Loft,
Jabez Pierce,
Valzy Scrogg,
Edith Tallchief,
Ethel White,
Franklin Seneca,
Agnes Snyder,
Noah Twoguns,
Lawrence Williams.

Second Grade.

John Curry,
Stanley Eels,
Willie Ground,
Mary Halftown,
Evelyn Jackson,
Harriet Lay,
Ernest Lee,
Mary Moses,
Edna Parker,

Richard Curry,
Clifford George,
Gilbert Halftown,
Stewart Huff,
Alyce Kennedy,
Maxwell Lay
Effie Luke,
Fleeta Nephew,
Warren Pierce.

Third Grade.

Joseph Bissell,
Jerriet Cooper,
Perl Johnson,
Thomas MacUmbur,
Percy White,
Gertrude Armstrong,
Amelia Dowdy,
Lydia Harris,
Ethelyn Joe,
Flossie Kettle,
Nellie Lee,
Carrie Phillips,

Jacob Bullis,
Andrew Francis,
Aaron Luke,
Augustus Moses,
John Williams,
Elsie Crouse,
Fidelia Ground,
Amelia Jackson,
Hattie Jones,
Mabel Lee,
Isora Parker,
Hazel Shongo.

Fourth Grade.

Ely Ground,
Herman Jones,
Henry Pierce,
Herman Shongo,
Clarinda Jackson,
Lucy Kennedy,
Edith Loft,
Mildred Parker,
Elsa Pierce,
Letha Shongo,

Chester Jones,
Walter Nephew,
Torrence Redeye,
Betsey Carpenter,
Viola Jones,
Mabel Kettle,
Bula Parker,
Ida Patterson,
Nora Sandy,
Elizabeth Snyder,
Pauline Wandle.

Fifth Grade.

Renier Clark,
Barney Jacobs,
Frederick Kenjockety,
Dennison Moses,
Raymond Reuben,
Clyde Seneca,
James Warrior,
Pauline Lay,
Winifred Printup,
Alberta Williams,

Wilbur Dowdy,
Amos Jones,
Ernest Miller,
Ora Patterson,
Henry Rockwell,
Elliott Tallchief,
Elean Webster,
Florence Patterson,
Malphena Thompson,
Louise Williams.

Sixth Grade.

Dennis Button,
Chauncey Doctor,
Elmer Jacobs,
Ulysses Johnson,
Newman LaForte,
Elmer Poodry,
Nelson Twoguns,
Mina Patterson.
Elsie Spring,
Lucy Thompson,

Adrian Clark,
Clifford Halftown,
Wilford Jimerson,
Richard Kettle,
Emery Miller,
Carl Printup,
Irene Carpenter,
Edna Rockwell,
Avis Sundown,
Irene Williams.

Seventh Grade.

Lafayette Bullis,
Wyman Jacobs,
Ira Mitten,
Dudley Poodry,
Lorenza Bullis,
Elizabeth Halftown,
Emeline Luke,
Alberta Parker,
Louise Patterson,
Gladys Seneca,
Hattie Snow,

George Crouse,
Harvey Johnson,
Ellwood Pierce,
Sophia Billy,
Bertha Green,
Gladys Logan,
Myrtle Miller,
Lena Parker,
Nancy Patterson,
Nettie Skye,
Louise Tallchief,
Laura Williams.

Eighth Grade.

Philo Jackson,
Alfred Twoguns,
Rena Button,
Elsie Doxtator,
Clara Kenjockety,
Orena Pierce,
Elizabeth Snow,

Rutherford Lay,
George Twoguns,
Irene Doctor,
Ida Jake,
Lillian Pierce,
Lena Seneca,
Elida Williams,

Evangeline Clark.

I feel that we had a fairly successful year. Our grade work followed practically lines before indicated, with no innovations to be reported.

I wish to call attention to one matter in particular. Our grades, as a rule, are crowded and we have in each grade backward or sub-normal pupils. These pupils cannot receive the attention they need without holding back the brighter ones. I would suggest that a room be provided for these sub-normals from the various grades and that they be put in charge of a competent teacher who could give them individual attention. This would relieve congestion in the different grades and at the same time prove an advantage both to the dull pupils and the bright ones.

Industrial training still needs emphasis. Rug weaving, introduced a little over a year ago, still proves to be interesting and profitable. Last year, with but one loom, the class wove 33 rugs valued at \$2.50 each and 7 sofa pillow covers valued at 75 cents each.

I report with pleasure, the introduction of a course in domestic science. The children manifest interest and enthusiasm and we expect the results will justify and repay our efforts. There is a constant demand for domestics. Our girls have often gone out into families and given excellent satisfaction even when they had no special training. We expect that our new course will make them even more efficient and so enable them to command better pay.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN C. BRENNAN,

Principal.

REPORT OF MUSIC TEACHER

To Mrs. Emily P. Lincoln, Superintendent:

As I have been in this position such a short time, there is very little for me to report, but I desire to make mention of the fact that taking the pupils in general they are taking hold of the work with interest and seem disposed to make my new work pleasant, which I can assure you is much appreciated.

The following statistics are given me by Miss Reynolds, who has very kindly furnished me with many helpful suggestions in regard to the discharge of my duties.

The pupils named below have had instruction and practice in piano and organ:

Piano.

Lillian Pierce,	Gladys Logan,
Elsie Doxtator,	Lena Seneca,
Libbie Halftown,	Louise Patterson,
Ida Jake,	Orena Pierce,
Elida Williams,	Irene Doctor,
Rena Button,	Evangeline Clark,
Bertha Green,	Alberta Parker,
Laura Williams,	Carl Printup,
Philo Jackson,	Elmer Jacobs,
George Crouse,	Ellwood Pierce.

Organ.

Louise Tallchief,	Edna Rockwell,
Pauline Lay,	Florence Patterson,
Clara Kenjockety,	Alberta Williams,
Avis Sundown,	Nettie Skye,
Winifred Printup,	Irene Williams,
Louise Williams,	Emeline Luke,
Lena Parker,	Dudley Poodry.

Wednesday evening, February 19th, the following musical program was enjoyed by the people at the institution.



BAY TEAM PURCHASED DURING YEAR.

Sherman's Triumphal March.....	<i>Rena Button</i>
Apple Tree Swing Waltz.....	<i>Gladys Logan</i>
Artillery March	<i>Alberta Parker</i>
Scene Militaire	<i>Philo Jackson</i>
Merry Sleighing Party	<i>Bertha Green</i>
Wreath of Roses Waltz.....	<i>Ida Jake</i>
Parade March	<i>Louise Patterson</i>
Trip to Niagara Falls.....	<i>Carl Printup</i>
Witches Dance	<i>Lillian Pierce</i>
Warbling at Eve.....	<i>Lena Seneca</i>

Another musical was presented on the evening of June 18th and the program, which follows, pleased quite an audience of neighbors and friends besides our own population.

Patriotic Melody	<i>Philo Jackson</i>
The Pearl, Waltz	<i>Alberta Parker</i>
Warbling of the Birds.....	<i>Ida Jake</i>
Song of the Scout.....	<i>Clifford Halftown</i>
Flight of the Airship.....	<i>Bertha Green</i>
Voices of Spring.....	<i>Rena Button</i>
Home Sweet Home.....	<i>Louise Patterson</i>
Bird Song	<i>Irene Williams</i>
Love's Reverie	<i>Elida Williams</i>
Burning of Rome.....	<i>Carl Printup</i>
Closing Song	

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE E. PRISH,

Music Teacher.

REPORT OF THE STEWARD

To Mrs. Emily P. Lincoln, Superintendent:

I herewith submit my report, as Steward, for the year ending September 30, 1913.

Total value of real estate September 30, 1913.... \$195,556 26

This includes farm land at its agricultural value. As this land is located on the Cattaraugus Indian Reservation it has no market value.

Total value of personal property September 30,

1913 \$28,116 20

Number of acres of land owned by institution.... 100 00

Number of acres of land rented..... 47.3

REPORT OF FARM AND GARDEN PRODUCTS.

Number of acres of land in garden..... 11.5

Number of acres of land in orchard..... 2

Number of acres of land in meadow..... 28

Number of acres of land in pasture..... 20

Number of acres of land in field crops..... 60.8

Total number of acres devoted to farm purposes. 122.3

FIELD CROPS.

Credit.

Ear corn, 150 bushels..... \$105 00

Clear timothy hay, 35 tons..... 630 00

Mixed hay, 55 tons..... 770 00

Buckwheat, 149 bushels 89 40

Oats, 1,210 bushels..... 726 00

Oat straw, 30 tons..... 300 00

Dry corn fodder, 5 tons..... 12 50

Green corn fodder, 3 tons..... 10 50

Pumpkins, 3 tons 15 00

Silage, 100 tons 350 00

Green alfalfa, 17 tons.....	\$144 50
Home product ice, 310 tons.....	620 00
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	\$3,772 90

Debit.

Cost of seed, fertilizer, implements, rent of land, labor, etc	\$1,402 77
Value of home produce seed and fer- tilizer	767 00
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	2,169 77
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Profit	\$1,603 13
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POTATOES.

Credit.

Potatoes, 1,461 bushels	\$949 65
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Debit.

Cost of seed, fertilizer, implements, rent of land, labor, etc.....	\$235 45
Value of home product seed and fer- tilizer	296 50
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	531 95
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Profit	\$417 70
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GARDEN PRODUCTS.

Credit.

String beans, 557.5 pounds.....	\$11 15
Dry beans, 100 bushels	240 00
Lima beans, 593 pounds	23 72
Beets, 13.5 bushels	6 75
Cabbage, 18.87 cwt	11 32
Carrots, 45 bushels	18 00
Cauliflower, 1.60 cwt	1 60
Celery, 300 pounds	7 50
Sweet corn, 48.9 cwt	48 90

Pop corn, 16 bushels	\$16 00
Cucumbers for table use, 200 pounds	3 00
Cucumbers for pickles, 593.5 pounds	17 80
Horseradish, 112 pounds	4 48
Lettuce, 209.5 pounds	20 95
Onions, 30.5 bushels	30 50
Green onions, 572 pounds	11 44
Salsify, 500 pounds	10 00
Parsnips, 1,000 pounds	10 00
Green peas, 1,154 pounds	17 31
Green peppers, 8 pounds	24
Radish, 239.5 pounds	5 99
Rhubarb, 3,383 pounds	67 66
Spinach, 42 pounds	1 47
Summer squash, 5.37 cwt	5 37
Winter squash, 24.18 cwt	24 18
Tomatoes, 7,055.5 pounds	105 83
Turnips, 978 pounds	9 78

\$730 94

Debit.

Cost of seed, fertilizer, implements, labor, etc	\$214 08
Value of home product fertilizer	170 00
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	384 08
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Profit	\$346 86

FRUIT.

Credit.

Apples, 12 bushels	\$9 00
Currants, 30 quarts	2 40
Pears, 24 bushels	24 00
Blackberries, 34 quarts	2 72
Strawberries, 408 quarts	32 64
Black raspberries, 228 quarts	18 24
Red raspberries, 64 quarts	5 12

\$94 12

Debit.

Stock purchased and labor.....	\$83 00	
Value of home product fertilizer.....	30 00	
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Loss		\$18 88
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DAIRY.

Credit.

Cream, 1,467 quarts	\$293 40
Full cream milk, 9,557 quarts.....	407 07
Butter, 2,863 pounds	916 72
Skimmed milk, 40,624 quarts.....	812 48
Beef, 1,209 pounds	120 90
Stock sold	16 75
Hides sold	12 30
Value of manure	687 50

\$3,267 12

Inventory of stock September 30, 1913.....	1,555 00
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\$4,822 12

Debit.

Stock purchased	\$15 00
Feed purchased	585 67
Bedding purchased	3 50
Field crops consumed	715 22
Veterinary services	17 58
Labor	400 00
Implements	10 00

\$1,746 97

Inventory of stock September 30, 1912..	990 00
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2,736 97

Profit	\$2,085 15
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Average number of cows milked during year.....	18 $\frac{2}{3}$
Average yearly production per cow.....	6809.7

SWINE.

Credit.

Stock sold	\$2 00
Pork, 9,566 pounds	1,147 92
Value of manure	150 00
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	\$1,299 92
Inventory of stock September 30, 1913	494 00
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	\$1,793 92

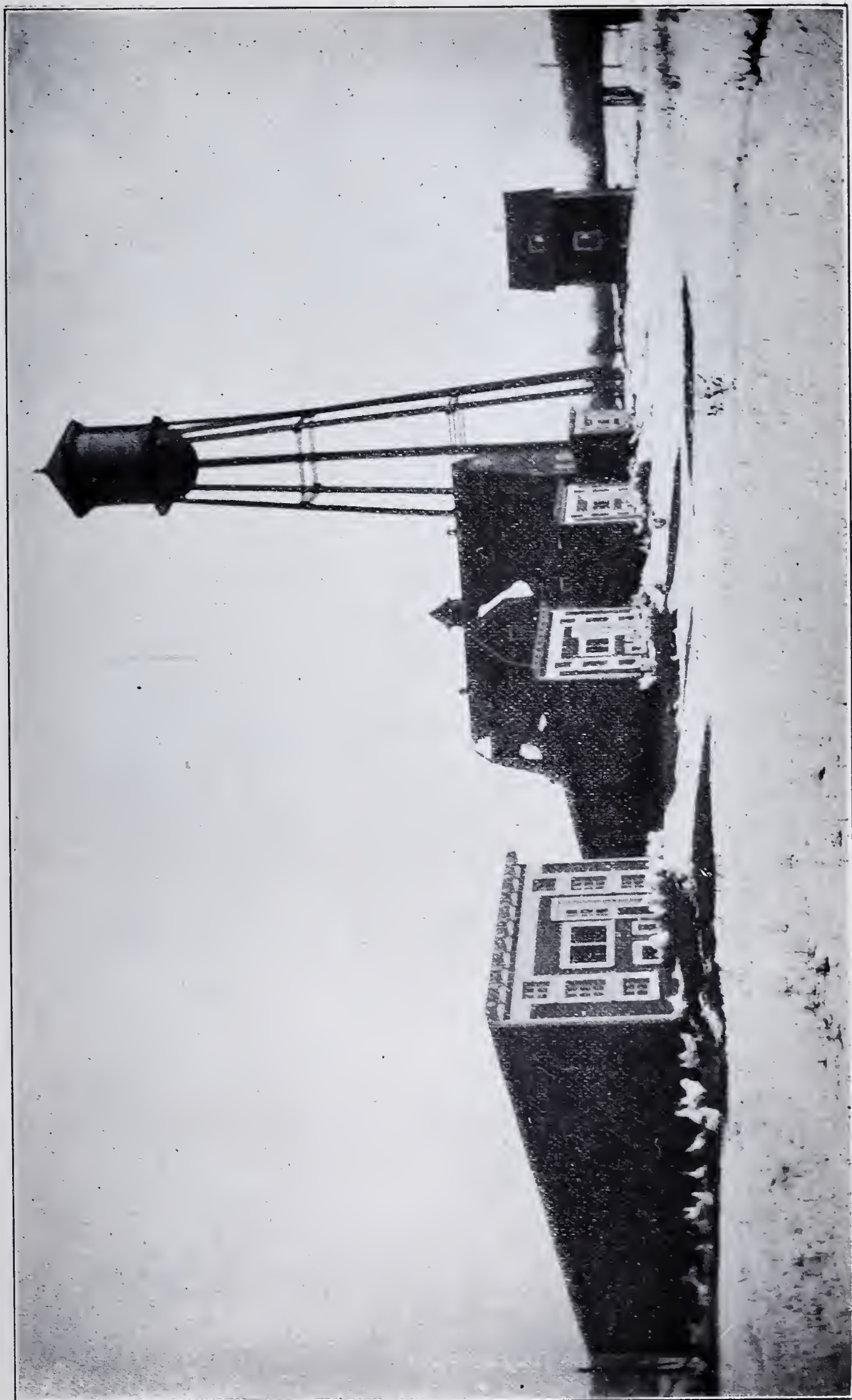
Debit.

Feed purchased	\$119 70
Bedding purchased	60 00
Value home product field crops consumed	276 00
Labor	200 00
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	\$655 70
Inventory of stock September 30, 1912	457 00
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	1,112 70
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Profit	\$681 22
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POULTRY.

Credit.

Eggs, 948 $\frac{1}{3}$ dozen	\$237 08
Broilers, live, 448 pounds	80 64
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	\$317 72
Inventory of stock September 30, 1913	551 00
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	\$868 72



NEW POULTRY PLANT.

Debit.

Stock purchased	\$166 00
Feed purchased	192 03
Field crops consumed	15 17
Labor	100 00

Inventory of stock September 30, 1912	\$473 20
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Profit	\$395 52
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Respectfully submitted,

IDA L. BUNN,

Steward.

MATRON'S REPORT.

To Mrs. Emily P. Lincoln, Superintendent:

The work of the girls during the past year has been worthy of creditable mention. All girls above the fifth grades have been in school but half of each day and have devoted the balance of their time to such work about the institution as I have planned for them, assisting in the dormitories, kitchens, laundry, sewing room, etc. Without the help of these large girls it would be necessary to have more women employees. However, I consider the girls derive more benefit from the discharge of the varied duties assigned them than does the institution, for in this way they acquire a practical knowledge of housework, which is so valuable to every girl no matter what her station in life may be. Eleven of our older girls were placed out in desirable homes during the vacation months of July and August, some of whom received as high as \$4 per week. Two of our best girls we gave work here at the institution and I was proud of the conscientious work done by them. The Domestic Science course, I feel sure, will prove very beneficial to our girls, many of whom will go out into homes of their own or into other people's homes, where they are now in demand at good wages.

They have given the seamstresses the usual amount of assistance during the year and attached is a list of the articles made:

35 red table cloths, at 10 cents.....	\$3 50
237 blue dresses, at \$1.....	237 00
328 towels, at 10 cents.....	32 80
54 huck towels, at 10 cents.....	5 40
76 dish towels, at 10 cents.....	7 60
48 crib sheets, at 15 cents.....	7 20
177 sheets, at 15 cents.....	26 55
476 pillow cases, at 10 cents.....	47 60
24 table napkins, at 10 cents.....	2 40
8 curtains, at 15 cents.....	1 20
11 holders, at 3 cents.....	33
20 handkerchiefs, at 5 cents.....	1 00



ORCHARD IN WINTER.

22 boys' white waists, at 50 cents.....	\$11 00
64 boys' blue waists, at 50 cents.....	32 00
31 blue jackets, at 40 cents.....	12 40
104 wool pants, at 50 cents.....	52 00
30 light shirts, at 50 cents.....	15 00
68 dark shirts, at 40 cents.....	27 20
37 overalls, at 35 cents.....	12 95
34 blue denim pants, at 35 cents.....	11 90
121 best dresses, at \$1.50.....	181 50
28 wool dresses, at \$2.....	56 00
7 graduating dresses, at \$2.25.....	15 75
7 white skirts, at 75 cents.....	5 25
73 under skirts, at 25 cents.....	18 25
74 under waists, at 25 cents.....	18 50
24 flannel skirts, at 25 cents.....	6 00
77 pairs drawers, at 20 cents.....	15 40
153 night dresses, at 40 cents.....	61 20
26 night skirts, at 40 cents.....	10 40
199 wash cloths, at 3 cents.....	5 97
13 work aprons, at 25 cents.....	3 25
30 gingham aprons, at 25 cents.....	7 50
2 milking suits, at 75 cents.....	1 50
3 milking caps, at 10 cents.....	30

Respectfully submitted,

HALLA WELLS,

Matron.

TRADE SCHOOL.

To Mrs. Emily P. Lincoln, Superintendent:

During the past year I have had 14 boys in my department ranging from twelve to seventeen years of age and although the majority of these boys are under fifteen I feel well satisfied with the amount of work that has been accomplished.

I am glad to be able to report that these boys have been right on time for their work almost without exception and the interest they have manifested has been very gratifying to me.

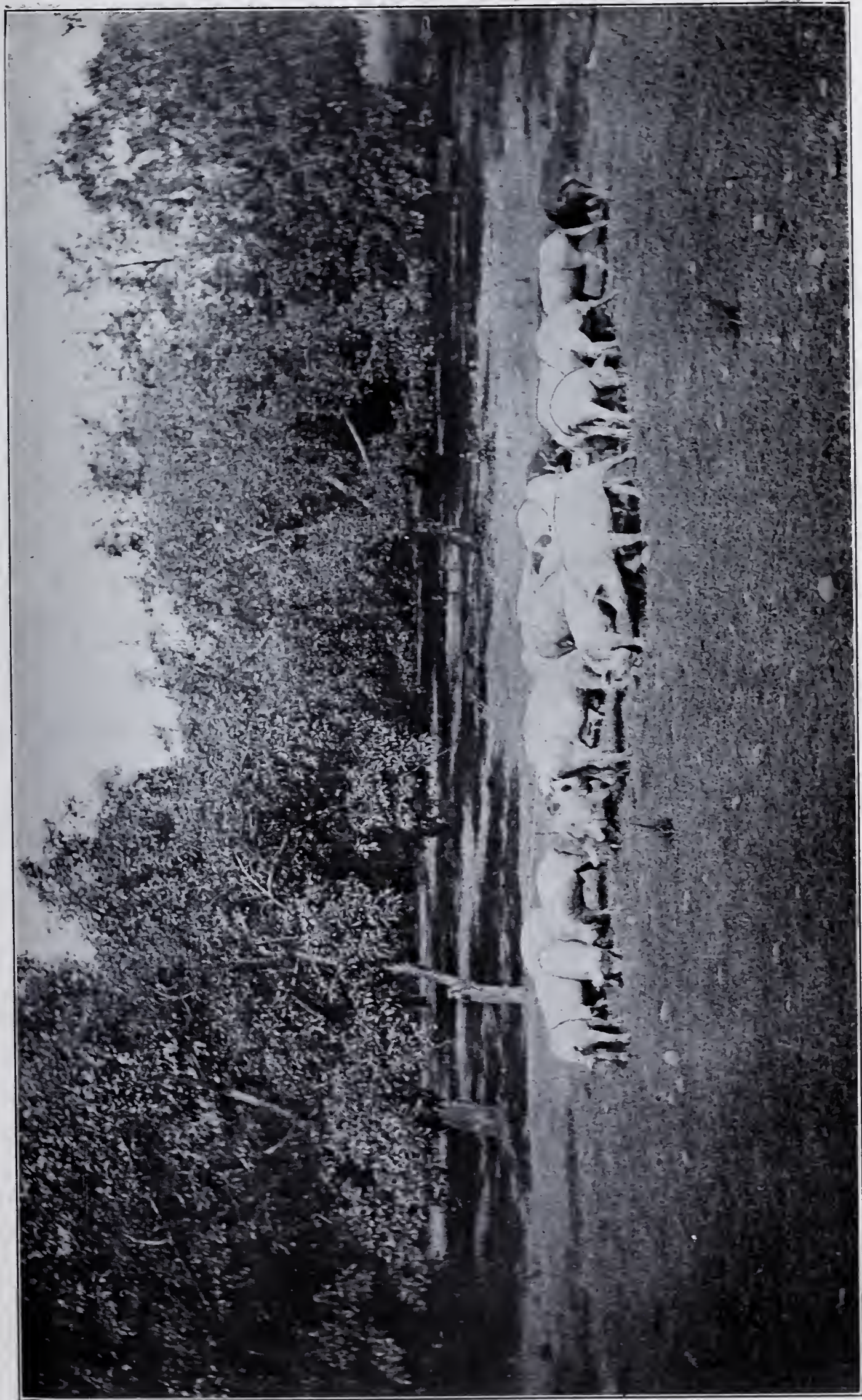
Following is a list of the articles manufactured during the year:

1 Incubator cellar, 16 x 16'.....	\$700 00
2 laying houses, 20 x 20'.....	500 00
3 brooder houses, at \$40.....	120 00
1 bathroom in hospital	25 00
1 picture frame, 24 x 36".....	1 50
6 step ladders, 16" x 4', at \$1.50.....	9 00
2 oak cases, 7 x 14', at \$30.....	60 00
1 pulley, 8'	1 00
32 picture frames	20 00
2 moulding boards, 20 x 22".....	1 00
1 tank for milk house.....	6 00
3 chicken coops	4 50
5 book racks	2 50
1 steps to paint shop.....	2 50
6 flower boxes	6 00
2 bevel boxes	2 50
19 screens	83 00
2 sign boards	1 00
1 hay rack	20 00
1 wagon box	8 00
72 napkin rings	3 00

Respectfully submitted,

ANTON F. LORENZ,

Instructor in Carpentry.



TWO HAPPY FAMILIES.



REPAIRS.

To Mrs. Emily P. Lincoln, Superintendent:

Although much which has been accomplished in this department during the past year has been too varied and many of the pieces of work too insignificant to make mention of in any report, yet I take pleasure in reporting some of the more important work, aside from the general repairs, which the boys and I have accomplished during the year.

At intervals during stormy weather the numerous vehicles have all received a coat of paint.

Considerable cement has been put in, including steps in front of school building, walks, basement floors in some of the dormitories, floors and stalls in horse barn, etc.

Quite an amount of time has been spent in the repairing of walks over conduits. There is yet much to be done unless we are allowed an appropriation for new corridors.

The pointing up of the several brick buildings has been no small item and this work is by no means completed.

As it was important to have the poultry houses finished early to accommodate the young pullets as they outgrew the brooder houses, I spent a good many whole days with my force at work there.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED PALMER,

Mason and General Repairer.

REPORT OF THE FARM.

To Mrs. Emily P. Lincoln, Superintendent:

I present you my report for the year ending September 30, 1913.

The general farm work has progressed practically the same as in former years. However, there has been considerable extra work to accomplish on account of the twenty-two acres of land which was rented from an adjoining farm, besides a few crops put in on shares.

With the purchase of the fine span of bay draught horses in the month of December this work has been done without the employment of additional laborers or teamsters, but the splendid work done by some of the older boys has been responsible for the surprising amount of work that has been accomplished with so little help. Three of the older horses which are no longer fit for heavy teaming or road work have been kept busy on the farm by some of my trusty boys who are fond of and good with horses. I have entrusted the feeding and cleaning of these horses to the boys permitted to drive them and it gives me pleasure to report the excellent care they have given them.

Although the bay horses have aided so materially in the work this year, yet the older horses are growing older each year and with more land to cultivate, the need of still another new team is much needed in order that I may carry on the work of the farm as it should be. Of course these old horses are still able to do quite an amount of work, but only light farm work, and it takes so much more to keep them in good condition than it would younger horses that would do nearly double the work, that the purchase of a young team would seem in the interest of economy.

The tuberculine test of our dairy made during the spring resulted in the finding of the entire herd free from disease. I would suggest that a similar test be made each year.

By the use of the Babcock Milk Tester I have discovered that two of our cows were unprofitable as milk producers and these have been fattened and killed. There are now one or two more

to dispose of in the same manner. During the year I have raised four Holsteins and in a few years our dairy will consist of high grade cows of that breed.

Aside from the farm work the teams have done more than the usual amount of hauling of coal, freight, etc., from Lawtons and have drawn considerable gravel and cinders on the roads about the institution.

I want to express my appreciation of the good work done by the boys in my department the past year.

Following is an inventory of the stock on hand:

9 work horses	\$1,740 00
21 cows	1,050 00
1 bull	50 00
6 heifers	180 00
4 calves	60 00
18 hogs	270 00
24 shoats	168 00
14 pigs	56 00

Respectfully submitted,

CARL DANKERT,

Farmer.

STATEMENT OF ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1913.

Number of pupils in institution October 1, 1912	185
Number of pupils admitted during last fiscal year	30
Number of pupils discharged during last fiscal year	19
Number of pupils died during last fiscal year	1
Number of pupils in institution September 30, 1913	195
Average population for fiscal year ending September 30, 1913	174.06

REPORT OF EMILY P. LINCOLN, TREASURER, FOR
THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1913.

Receipts.

Cash on hand October 1, 1912.....	\$55 51
Received from Comptroller	43,000 00
Miscellaneous receipts	52 93
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	\$43,108 44
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Disbursements.

Salaries	\$21,351 39
Expenses of managers	359 88
Provisions	5,751 09
Household stores	1,485 56
Clothing	2,086 51
Fuel and light	3,747 19
Hospital and medical supplies.....	94 24
Shop, farm and garden.....	3,896 85
Ordinary repairs	2,346 82
Transportation of inmates	21 94
Miscellaneous	1,751 40
Remittance to State Treasurer	52 93
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	\$42,945 80
Cash on hand September 30, 1913.....	162 64
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	\$43,108 44
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Per capita cost of maintenance.....	\$246.4253
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PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

To Emily P. Lincoln, Superintendent:

I beg to submit, herewith, my report as Attending Physician for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1913.

The following named diseases have been under treatment during the year:

Acute Dyspepsia	3	Impetigo	12
Acute Dysentery	1	Influenza	8
Abcess	3	Ivy Poisoning	1
Ammenoorhoea	1	Pneumonia	1
Anaemia	1	Sprains	3
Burns	2	Tuberculosis of Lungs... .	1
Conjunctivitis	2	Tuberculosis of Bone.... .	1
Catarrh, Nasal	3	Tuberculosis of Glands.. .	6
Eczema	1	Ulcer of the Cornea	1
Fracture	1	Wounds	9
Herpes	1		

Only one death has occurred, this being from tuberculosis of the lungs. All the cases of tuberculosis of the glands have either recovered or are much improved. The lad suffering from tuberculosis of bone has nearly recovered.

It is most satisfactory to be able to state that for several years past there has been a marked decrease in the number of all cases of all forms of tuberculosis occurring in the institution. It should also be noted that fewer cases of eye trouble are found than in previous years.

Dr. Richard H. Satterlee, our oculist, has made a careful and thorough examination of the eyes of each pupil, looking not only into the existence of inflammatory conditions, but also to near and far sight.

The sanitary condition of the institution has been good throughout the year and the pupils have received sufficient food and have been well clothed.

Very respectfully,

A. D. LAKE,

Attending Physician.

GOWANDA, N. Y., October 1, 1913.

STATEMENT OF GENERAL INFORMATION.

The Thomas Indian School is situated in the heart of the Cattaraugus Reservation. We are four miles from Lawtons, which is on the Buffalo and Southwestern Division of the Erie railroad, and this is twenty-seven miles south of Buffalo. We are also six miles from the Buffalo and Lake Erie Traction Company's road, the Lake Shore, Nickel Plate, and Pennsylvania railroads at Irving. Our nearest shopping village of any size is Gowanda, which is six miles distant.

Both morning and afternoon on week days a public stage makes trips between this institution and Lawtons, but to other points there is no public conveyance.

The State bears all the expense of caring for the Indian children enrolled here, but all clothing which is furnished by relatives or friends is very much appreciated and gratefully received.

We have no particular day set aside for visiting day, but all friends of the institution are cordially welcome at any time.

No regular correspondence is kept up with guardians of children placed here, but the school devotes one day each month to letter writing and each child has the privilege of writing a letter to parent, guardian or friend. All letters in regard to the welfare of children are cheerfully answered and in case of serious illness of any child their nearest of kin is communicated with.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

As has been the custom for several years, a chapel service is conducted in the Assembly Hall each morning by the teachers. On Sunday morning at 11.30 we have Sunday school and in the afternoon have preaching service at 3.30. Ministers from churches in adjoining towns come to us at this time, including the missionaries from this reservation, while in the evening a young people's meeting, in charge of an employee, or some special service is held. At the young people's meeting each pupil present is expected to repeat a verse of scripture.

CATALOG OF CHILDREN WITH THEIR NATIONALITY AND THE RESERVATION FROM WHICH EACH CAME.

ALLEGHANY RESERVATION

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Bowen, Archibald	Seneca
Bowen, Clifford	Seneca
Crouse, George	Seneca
Curry, Richard	Seneca
Curry, John	Seneca
Curry, Hilbert	Seneca
Curry, Ansley	Seneca
Halftown, Gilbert	Seneca
Harris, William	Cayuga
Jimerson, Wilfred	Seneca
Lee, Earnest	Seneca
Shongo, Herman	Seneca
Shongo, Jacob	Seneca
<i>Females.</i>	
Bowen, Geneva	Seneca
Crouse, Elsie	Seneca
Halftown, Evangeline	Seneca
Halftown, Mary	Seneca
Harris, Dorothy	Cayuga
Harris, Elizabeth	Cayuga
Jackson, Amelia	Seneca
Jackson, Clarinda	Seneca
Jackson, Evelyn	Seneca
Lee, Mabel	Seneca
Lee, Rosa	Seneca
Lee, Nellie	Seneca
Lee, Bertha	Seneca
Lewis, Emeline	Seneca
Lewis, Marie	Seneca

<i>Females.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Moses, Mary	Seneca
Redeye, Matilda	Seneca
Redeye, Geneva	Seneca
Shongo, Hazel	Seneca
Shongo, Letha	Seneca
Snyder, Agnes	Seneca
Snyder, Elizabeth	Seneca
Titus, Loretta	Seneca
Titus, Mary	Seneca
Wandle, Pauline	Seneca
White, Ethel	Onondaga

CATTARAUGUS RESERVATION.

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Bullis, Jacob	Seneca
Bullis, Lafayette	Seneca
Button, Dennis	Seneca
Clark, Adrain	Seneca
Clark, Renier	Seneca
Cooper, Jerriett	Seneca
Crow, Peter	Seneca
Dowdy, Wilber	Seneca
Eels, Stanley	Seneca
Huff, Stewart	Seneca
Jacobs, Wyman	Cayuga
Joe, Atlas Alton	Seneca
John, Raymond	Seneca
Johnson, Harvey	Seneca
Kettle, Richard	Seneca
Lay, Maxwell C	Cayuga
Luke, Aaron	Seneca
Nephew, Walter	Seneca
Parker, Harold	Seneca
Pierce, Ellwood	Seneca
Pierce, Henry	Seneca
Pierce, Jabez	Seneca
Pierce, Warren	Seneca

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Redeye, Torrence	Seneca
Seneca, Clyde	Seneca
Seneca, Franklin	Seneca
Tallchief, Elliot	Seneca
Twoguns, Alfred	Seneca
Twoguns, Nelson	Seneca
Twoguns, Noah	Seneca
Warrior, James	Seneca
White, Percy	Seneca

<i>Females.</i>	
Abrams, Lucy	Seneca
Armstrong, Gertrude	Seneca
Bennett, Maud	Seneca
Bullis, Lorenza	Seneca
Clark, Evangline	Seneca
Cornplanter, Hattie	Seneca
Dowdy, Amelia	Seneca
Doxtator, Elsie	Seneca
Gordon, Avanell	Seneca
Green, Bertha	Seneca
Harris, Lydia	Seneca
Jake, Ida	Cayuga
Joe, Ethelyn	Seneca
Kennedy, Alyce	Seneca
Kennedy, Lucy	Seneca
Kettle, Florence	Seneca
Kettle, Mabel	Seneca
Lay, Harriett G.	Cayuga
Lay, Pauline B.	Cayuga
Logan, Gladys	Cayuga
Luke, Emeline	Seneca
Luke, Effa	Seneca
Nephew, Fleeta	Seneca
Parker, Alberta	Seneca
Parker, Edna	Seneca
Parker, Doris	Seneca

<i>Females.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Parker, Lena	Seneca
Phillips, Carrie	Cayuga
Pierce, Elsa	Cayuga
Pierce, Delphine	Seneca
Sandy, Nora	Seneca
Seneca, Gladys	Seneca
Snow, Hattie	Seneca
Tallchief, Edith	Tuscarora
Tallchief, Iva	Tuscarora
Tallchief, Louise	Seneca
Thompson, Malphena	Seneca
Thompson, Lucy	Seneca
Twoguns, Eva	Seneca

ONEIDA RESERVATION.

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Miller, Earnest	Oneida
Miller, Emory	Oneida
Rockwell, Henry	St. Regis

<i>Females.</i>	
Miller, Myrtle	Oneida
Rockwell, Edna	St. Regis

ONONDAGA RESERVATION.

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Bred, Chester M.	Oneida
George, Clifford	Seneca
George, Stanley	Seneca
Jacobs, Barney	Cayuga
Jacobs, Elmer	Cayuga
Johnson, Perl	Onondaga
Johnson, Ulysses	Onondaga
Jones, Alexander	Onondaga
Jones, Chester	Onondaga
Jones, Amos	St. Regis
LaForte, Newman	St. Regis
Loft, Belmont	Mohawk

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Logan, Archie	Mohawk
Logan, Elin	Mohawk
Ninham, Nelson	Oneida
Webster, Elean	Onondaga

<i>Females.</i>	
Jones, Hattie	Onondaga
Loft, Edith	Mohawk

ST. REGIS RESERVATION.

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Francis, Andrew	St. Regis
Jackson, Edward	St. Regis
Jackson, Mitchel	St. Regis
MacUmbur, Thomas	St. Regis

TONAWANDA RESERVATION.

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Ground, Ely	Seneca
Ground, William	Seneca
Hill, Cephas	Seneca
Jones, Herman	Seneca
Mitten, Ira	Seneca
Moses, Augustus	Seneca
Moses, Dennison	Seneca
Patterson, Ora	Seneca
Peters, Gilbert	Seneca
Printup, Carl G.	Seneca
Reuben, Raymond	Seneca
Scrogg, Velcy	Cayuga
Skye, Jerome	Seneca

<i>Females.</i>	
Billy, Sophia	Seneca
Carpenter, Betsy	Seneca
Carpenter, Irene	Seneca
Ground, Fidelia	Seneca
Jimerson, Elsie	Seneca

<i>Females.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Jones, Viola	Seneca
Jones, Myrtle	Seneca
Moses, Edna	Cayuga
Parker, Bula	Seneca
Parker, Mildred	Seneca
Parker, Isora	Seneca
Patterson, Florence	Seneca
Printup, Winifred	Seneca
Reuben, Iva	Seneca
Skye, Nettie	Seneca
Spring, Elsie	Seneca
Sundown, Avis	Seneca
Sundown, Geraldine	Seneca
White, Sophelia	Seneca

TUSCARORA RESERVATION.

<i>Males.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Bissell, Irving	Mohawk
Bissell, Charles	Tuscarora
Bissell, Joseph	Tuscarora
Chew, Nelson	Tuscarora
Williams, John	Tuscarora
Williams, Lawrence	Mohawk
Jones, Nathan H.	Tuscarora
Jones, William J.	Tuscarora

<i>Females.</i>	
Bissell, Hattie	Tuscarora
Bissell, Ethel V.	Mohawk
Bissell, Lottie M.	Mohawk
Bissell, Louise P.	Mohawk
Chew, Leta	Tuscarora
Cusick, Irene	Tuscarora
Cusick, Viola	Tuscarora
Garlow, Alice	Tuscarora
Henry, Lou Verna	Tuscarora
Patterson, Ida	Tuscarora

<i>Females.</i>	<i>Nationality.</i>
Patterson, Louise	Tuscarora
Patterson, Mina	Tuscarora
Patterson, Nancy	Tuscarora
Thompson, Hattie	Tuscarora
Williams, Irene	Tuscarora
Williams, Laura	Tuscarora
Williams, Louise	Tuscarora
Williams, Hattie	Tuscarora

